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CRACKS IN THIRD GODAVARI RAIL BRIDGE
AMBATI BRAHMANAIAH

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether cracks and faults were found in the Third Godavari rail bridge recently;

(b) if so, the details of such faults and cracks and the reasons therefore; and

(c) the steps taken by the Government to rectify the problem?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI BANDARU DATTATRAYA)

(a) & (b) : No fault has been found in the construction of the Bridge. Some shrinkage cracks in theconcrete-box were found but the same were not affecting the structure.

(c) : The cracks were sealed using epoxy material some time back and since then, no development of cracks has been noticed.